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olve this as you would a regular Anacrostic; that But remember, the clues are cryptic-style, and the quois, the initial letters of your answers will spell tation itself is, well, a bit unusual. the name of the author and the source of the quotation.

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A.	Crazy British attorney	91	27	106	3	18			
В.	I bad-mouth someone not from the continent	44	51	54	75	79	112	32	96
C.	Rejected Satan, and survived	35	12	114	31	21			
D.	Diabolic knight holds whip	98	29	115	123				
E.	Everyone getting into wicked song	102	110	43	87	72	134		
F.	Stern plays for payments	131	4	76	93	118			
G	. American jerk	97	60	20	82				
H.	Gulp bird	81	104	89	145	26	139	55	
1.	Best birthstone worn by Timothy	10	84	2	92	109	124	48	
J.	Salamander went awry	73	80	66	7				
K	Big actor's expression of gratitude including part of a mantra		113	13	107	19	45	100	5

38 16 61 41 129

L. In high school, I have skin

condition

3 T 104 H 105 X 106 A	107 K 108 M 109 I 110 E 111 V
O O 121 P 122 N 123 D	124 I 125 U 126 W 127 S 128 U
B P 139 H 140 X 141 K	142 S 143 M 144 O 145 H
M. Going west, manufactured cheese	108 77 47 143
N. Grandeur of prank in springtime month	5 95 74 135 11 68 122
O. A Pisces pursues nothing stupid	50 56 17 36 69 120
P. Sailor achieves goals	138 53 90 24 121 130 8
Q. Bush reorganized centers of activity	59 25 144 63
R. Luger Pa shot has silencer?	132 101 28 14 42 67 34
S. Card game for a drunkard?	94 142 49 127 88
T. Chief Arizona gem	119 103 40 1 137
U. Exhausted Our Town cast	128 85 9 125 116 71 33
V. Digits—they make you lose feeling?	111 99 65 86 23 136 39
W. Horrible-sounding bear	46 117 78 126 30 15 57
X. Nouveau riche delivery service with pie	64 6 140 105 83 22 52
Y. Start off banquet in Orient	133 62 37 70

## BUILDING BLOCKS

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n this cryptic puzzle, answers to Across clues lettered a.—i., when broken into two-letter segments, yield building blocks for the construction of a wall. For example, ANSWER would be broken into AN, SW, and ER, and these blocks could occur anywhere in their designation.

nated row. Their proper positions are cemented down by Down words 1.–10., which are entered normally in the order listed. Masons of note will be spelled out by the ten letters projecting at the sides of the wall. Answers include seven proper nouns.

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d										AND THE
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## across

- a. Female badly bores rich publisher (6)
  At first, judges like each opaque stone (6)
- b. Tidied up cellar for visitor (6) Hub's northern avenue (4)
- c. Ship carrying Hart's comic feline (6) Mother disguised true age (6)
- d. Lane going through cloister (4)
   One might say, "Mom, make lace as others do" (6)
- e. Chiefs of western Apaches makes peace using many beads (6)
  - Pie slice distorted corset (6)
- f. Sleep in, having \$1000 linen (6)
  Ring operated in port of Algeria (4)
- g. Keeps fertilizer a very long time (8) Angers one reservation (4)
- Mexican food splattered coat (4)
   Find company turned in after hours (6)
- i. Cagney and Lacey actress regularly speaking out (4)
  Price covers returnable nose ring (8)

## down

- 1. One bit of advice concerning plate of Italian food (9)
- 2. Note Eliot's diet elements (4)
  Dizzy Dean's a famous golfer (5)
- 3. Egg you finally laid in excited love (5) Jot, "I love *Times* article" (4)
- 4. Basketball player in action spilled beer round (9)
- 5. Flower left stuck in beam (5)
  Front of egg cup turned purple (4)
- 6. Jostle the Spanish missile-launcher (5) Speed puzzle (4)
- 7. Modified gentle arc shape (9)
- 8. Weatherman having columnist's name (4)
  Fire on cleric (5)
- 9. Get lost and sing nonsense syllables (4)
  Opera in memory of southern California (5)
- 10. Tar (sailor) sick of clothes (9)